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TOPIC Shipments of Soviet Tanks Leaving KIRCHMOESER

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DATE OF CONTENT June to August 1949

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SOURCE

A railroad engineer of a short-haul locomotive brigade stated that several shipments of T 34 and JS 122 tanks were hauled from KIRCHMOESER (N 53/Z 12) to CHEMNITZ (N 51/K 66) from June to August 1949. The tanks were detained at the CHEMNITZ freight station.

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Comment:

Since the short-haul locomotive brigades have been dissolved in the Soviet Zone of Germany, the report is forwarded with reservations. According to credible and rather complete shipping records of the BERLIN railroad district administration, only one train with 44 tanks was dispatched from KIRCHMOESER to CHEMNITZ, this on 10 July 1949.

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